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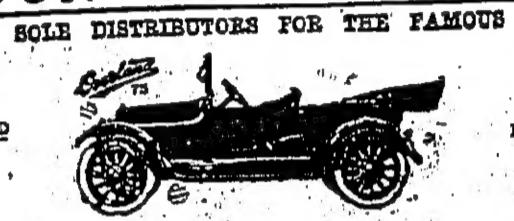
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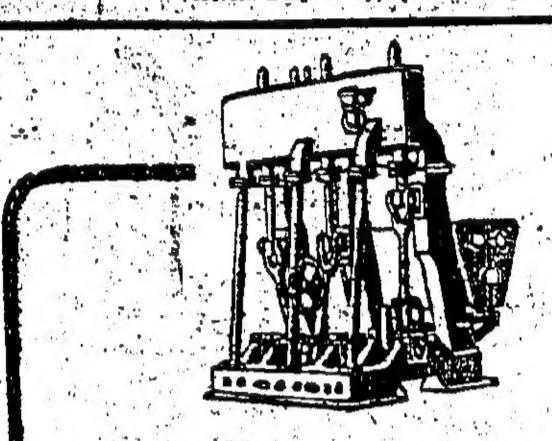
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1. Reuter's Service to the China Mail. 1

THE STRIKE MOVEMENT IN GERMANY.

ARE THE STRIKERS ENCOURAGED FROM HIGH QUARTERS?

London, Jan. 81. There is still some suspicion here regarding the strikes in Germany. For example, referring to the statement by the Vorwaerts: " Now the British and French workmen can

show whether they mean peace a: seriously as the Germans," the Times auggests the possibility of the so-called spontaneous strikes having that another attempt on M. Lenin's been encouraged by high quarters in order to convey a false idea that democratic ideals will be satisfied and that the German militarists are quite M. Lenin, but missed him. ready to acquiesce in such a scheme, provided they retain the means to restore their power. But the movement may be difficult to control when once started.

NO INDICATION OF SLACKENING

LONDON, Feb. 1 There is no indication of the strike movement in Germany slackening. In the Bavarian Lower House the Minister of the Interior denounced the strikers and asked: Would they destroy what their own sons have built up in the battle-field?" Herr Hammerschied, a Liberal Deputy, declared that the strikera were endangering the success of the giant attack which was intended to bring about a decision in Germany's

favour. The Krues Zeitung suggests that in the Russian Black Sea ports. the food allowance to the strikers should be cut down.

THE PRUSSIAN METHOD AT HAMBURG.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31. The Cologns Gazette states that the military authorities have ordered all the Hamburg workmen to resume work and have intimated that those liable to military service, failing to return to work immediately, will be reports:incorporated in the Army and forced to work.

AIR-RAID ON PARIS.

THE CASUALTIES.

LONDON, Jan. 31. A French official message states that four enemy air squadrons crossed, the lines, to the north of Compiegne flying at a great altitude owing to the clearness of the atmosphere, and approached Paris from the north and the north-east, dropping bombs successively on several suburban dis tricts. They then flew over Paris chiefly on the right of the Seine, where they dropped almost all their bombs in a few moments.

About 20 people were killed and 50 injured, including numerous women and children.

Two liespitals were hit and neveral and shot down another by gunfire. buildings were burned and damag d There were several air fights and to the north of Paris one Coman neroplane was brought down and the two occupants taken prisoners. A French aeroplane had to land,

having its occupants wounded .-LATER.

A French communique states that the contraction of the air-raid are 8 people killed, including 22 in Paris and 14 in the suburbs; and 190 jured, including 114 in Paris and 76 in the suburbs. The casualties include many

women, and children. Three hospitals were struck and One was set on fire. Bisty French acroplants sacender !

AFFAIRS IN RUSSIA. "UNFORTUNATE

Petrograd, Feb. 1. M. Trotzky, addressing the Soviets Congress, foreshadowed the possibility of an "unfortunate " peace.

PEACE" POSSIBLE.

LONDON, Feb. 1. A telegram from Petrograd states

ANOTHER ATTEMPT ON M. LENIN'S

A student entered the Smolny Institute and fired a ravolver at The student was arrested.

life has been defeated.

TARTARS T. BOLSHEVIKS.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1. The Tartars in the Crimea are challenging the Bolshevik supremacy. They have accepted the proffered aid of the Ukranians and of the Tauride and Kherson Governments. A mixed Tartar and Ukranian regiment is reported to have disarmed a force of sailors and Red Guards at Bakchisarai and fighting has begun between. the Cossacks and the Bolsheviks in

BOLSHEVIKS SEIZE RUMANIAN SHIPPING.

Astrakhan.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 1. It is reported that the Bolsheviks have seized the Rumanian shipping

BOLSHEVIKS OCCUPY KIEFF.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31. The Bolshevik troops have occupied Kieff, the town surrendering after four shots.

THE WESTERN FRONT

THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, Jan. 81. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig Our patrols secured prisoners in

arious sectors. There has been hostile artillery activity to the south of the Arras-Cambrai Road.

We successfully repulsed an attempted raid, to the west of Arleuxen-Gahelle, capturing some prisoners There was hostile artillery activity in the neighbourhoods of Gouzeaucourt and Lens.

BRITISH AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY Field-Marshal Sir Donglas Haig, reporting on aviation, states :-We heavily bombed an nerodrome. to the south of Ghent, a dump to the east of Roulers, and railway sidings at Courtrai.

We also machine gunned troops, transports and batteries in action. We brought down four machines and drove down four out of control, All our machines returned. We bombed, during the night

dumps, billets and railway stations. MAYAL AIRCRAFT ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Feb. 1. An Admiralty communique states that Naval aircraft bombed the aerodrome and a dump at Engel. Direct hits were made and fires were started.

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All our machines returned

There seem to have been at less thirty pieces of German silver waiting of every Jades Issarios in the world for the past death with the second Street State

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NOTICE TO SHAREHULDERS.

THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE. HOLDERS will be held in the Offices of Mesars. Dodwell & Co., Limited, on TULSDAY, the 5th February, 1918, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to 1st

December: 1917. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 30th January to 5th February, 1918, both dates inclusive.

DODWELL & COMPANY, LTD. General Managers.

Hongkong, Jan. 25, 1918.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that that ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Honorous Hotel, Hong-kong, on SATURDAY, the 9th February, 1818, at 11.30 A.M. for the purpose of receiving the Reports of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1917.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the Applications may be made through 4th February to the 14th February (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

Hongkong, Jan. 26, 1918.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY,

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-NINTH ORDIN-ARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on SATURDAY, 9th February, 1918, at 11 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1917.

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Women have only been doing this work since August, and all through the winter relays will be trained at the forest camps prepared for them. The great science of to £500 may be obtained on application, forestry is still in its infancy in this country, and probably not until after the war shall we have time to develop the constructive side of it. The work at prenumbers can be furnished to the sent is, slas! owing to war necessities, almost wholly destructive. Canadians and Englishmen do the felling, Portuguese the carrying, the loading and unloading. and the girls are being trained to do the

> A jolly, sturdy-looking troop they are All are not yet in uniform, but all have knickers and overalls or short coats, leggings or high leather boots. Huts have been erected for them on the edge of the woods, where they sleep in cubicles, and have a mess-room and a rest-room for food and recreation. In both the public rooms there are big arched brick fireplaces, where woodland logs, raised on dogs? after the ancient fashion, crackle cheerily on chilly days.

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The girls preside at the loading and unloading and count the logs.

as a tree is felled, and immediately a girl rushes forward to "girt," it, i.e., measure its length and girth, and then

Already there is an arid waste covere with fallen trees. Destructive, you sigh. but look closer. Round the base of each fallen tree the seedlings of beech and larch are springing fresh and green. Nature is eternally constructive, and just as next year's buds are ready before the leaves fall in autumn, so the tree provides its successors before it falls. There will be plenty of beech trees in the new England that is to be.

The sun goes lower down the heavens. rough measuring rods over their shoulders, and Milton's prayer that " unseen music " may " breathe "-

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It would perhaps be superfluous to detail the hard work of many members of the Allies is to the effect that ships of the Allies is to the effect that a steamer which was taking the same friends, but the Committee feels cannot allow the opportunity to pass of particularly mentioning the follow-

> Miss Anton and Mrs. Dyer for their untiring efforts in organizing Scottish Women's Stall and raffle, Mrs. A. A. H. Milroy for designing and making many useful and ornamental souvenirs for sale and organizing raffles of dolls, Mrs. T. Robertson and Miss Squair organizing ruffles of dolls, the latter also being of the utmost assistance his ingenuity and untiring energy. The good work he performed in connection with the Fair will long be remembered by those closely connect-

ed with that function. Although the bulk of the work was performed by those of Scottish nationality, Heather Day being essentially a Scottish Day, the Committee was much gratified by voluntary assistance of many helpers steamers and were unable to give a reply other than Scottish, and it trusts that the sound of guns. It is not yet known such ladies and gentlemen will accept whether the Hitschi Maru, was wrecked this acknowledgment as a full appre-

ciation of their welcome aid. A list of firms and others who have to be specially thanked follows. It may possibly be incomplete, but such omissions as may occur are due to the

anonvihity of contributors. . The Government, the Naval and the Military authorities for their Julia M. Smith, of Chester-square, S.W., general co-operation."

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Co., Chung Kain Poultry Guild, The following brief summary of Jack Ah Tai Co., Wang Kee, each of ther Day and St. Andrew's Fair and left a handsome surplus for the benefit of the Fund, and many others whose help materially contributed to complete the success of the under-

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> > THE MISSING HITACHI MARU.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha announces with reference to the misssing Hitachi Maru that the Chikuzan Maru, under Seas and Indian Ocean in co-operation with the Imperial Navy, with the result course as the Hitachi Maru at the same time did not receive any wireless mes-sage from the Hitachi Maru nor did she see any signs whatever of the steamer. On or about October 1st, two steamers | CASH OR

Maldire Islands, and anchored there for. about a fortnight. Each of the steamers had two meats and one funnel. A British man-of-war picked up drifting articles near the Maldive Islands in the middle of October. They included regulations for passengers, issued by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, an old sort and dried coccanuts No other trace of the Hitschi Marn was discovered. The news received by the Maval

of unknown-nationality arrived at the

Department is as follows - An enquiry has been made whether ene of the two steamers discovered by natives of the in the arrangement of badges and in island above referred to was the Hitachi Marii or whether those vessels unrermany other ways, Mr. G. Duncan for went repairs during their stay, but no The articles picked up by natives of Gus (?) island, south of shajipa, is clude a shutter of a lavatory, bearing marks

of bullets, clog. a transcript of lectures given in Hosei University, a case of Japan-made milk, a box containing 4 tins of mushrooms and a key of the W:C: for the steerage passengers. It is not positively known that the shutter belonged to the Hitschi Maru. boxes contained words "Hitachi Maru

A codicil to the will of Miss Frances who left £96.837, states:-

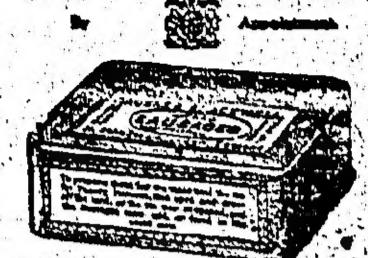
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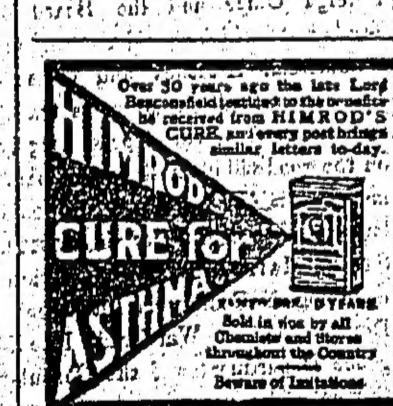
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The sale of tickets will close in Hongkong on Saturday, the 13th April, 1918. Any disputes arising will be decided of Hongkong whose decision shall

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CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS

SATURDAY, 9th Feb. :-Liquor & Tobacco Permits whole day

Import & Export Permits-till 1 p.m. SUNDAY, 10th Peb. -till I p.m. has been increased from four to six-Liquor Permits Import & Export Permits-till 1 p.m.

TURSDAY, 12th Feb.:-For all purposes The Office will be WHOLLY CLOSED on MONDAY, the 11th February.

D. W. TRATMAN. Superintendnet, Imports and Exports. to degenerate into a nest lot anug Hongkong Fab. 2, 1918

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country goes to Kingdom, and it is sub-divided case until next Thursday. according to trade and industries. The information supplied by representatives abroad regarding business opportunities will pass with" out circumlocation to the trade affected, and similarly inquiries by our manufacturers and traders as to

amongst War Charities by the Committhe needs of foreign countries will receive an immediate answer from the sub-section concerned. The new The Drawing will be in public, and department had its origin in the place will be notified in due course by difficulties that arose between the Foreign Office and the Board of Trade as to which should control our by the Committee of St. George's Society | Commercial Attaches and Consula and superintend our overseas trade. and its success will depend largely on the goodwill of those two depart ments. Several sub-departments have been brought under Sir ARTHUR STEEL MAITLAND'S administration, including the Commercial Intelligence Department, the War Trade Intelli gence Department and the Consular J. H. Ramsey, Esq., (How Treasurer). service. The new organisation will not only collect information, but will take action in all matters relating to trade and commerce with two reservations. Questions of general application, such as: commercial industry, will remain in the hands bit the Board of Trade, and commercial matters which become predominantly political -such, for example, as the Baghdad Railway-will be handed over to the Foreign Office. In developing the policy of the Department the help of the business community is to be sought, and an advisory committee representative for the interesta con-THIS OFFICE will be OPEN as carned is in process of being created Sie ARTTUR STEEL MARTLAND repudiates the suggestion that there

is any sim to eliminate the merchant.

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at any rate is the scheme. Sir

ARTHUR STEEL MAITLAND is

g rod chief for the department. It is

to be hoped it will not be allowed

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reactionery officials to proctise their

arts of obstruction.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Bishop of Victoria will be the preacher at St. John's Cathedral tomorrow (Sunday) morning.

Council has appointed Tuesday, February 12th (the day following China New Holiday.

It, is notified in the Gazette for re-entry, by the Government on Oyster Bed No. 6 in Deep Bay has been registered according to law.

Progress is being made with the motor road round the island. Government is calling for tenders for the extension of the existing portion from Repulse Bay to Tytam Tuk.

Mining Administration's mines for the week ending 19th January, 1918 amounted to 72,167 tons and the Sales during the period, to 76,998 tons. .

on November 22nd 1917, Capt. GERALD BANKS WALKER, Somerset His Excellency the Governor has Regiment, late of Hongkong and been pleased to appoint Dr. R. M. Shanghai Banking Corporation, Gibson and Mrs. Daisy A. M. Gale to

Committee of the St. George's Society G. P. Lammert, G. G. Wood, M. W. \$500,000, more or less, by their War Settlements, half a million dollars would seem to be quite within the resim of possibility if the scheme is as well THE functions of the new British

Commercial Intelligence Department Two Chinese were charged before W. Logan, H. A. Lammert, H. that is to be in operation after the Mr. Dyer Ball this morning with Sandford, A. G. Gordon, H. B. war have just been further explained. STEEL MAITLAND, is to establish from the country with a letter to draw H., W. Bird, S. H. Dodwell, direct contact between British trade and Overseas commerce. The Department consists of two main divisions. man, stole the letter and presented it F. Ellis, P. Kremer, A. Mackensie and by Mr. Chan Po Shang. at the shop for payment. Quite unsus- many others. picious of the fraud, the shopkesper the sub-section was not paid to the right, man ... 50 per cent. other division concerns the United Police.—Mr. Dyer Ball remanded the

THE COLONY'S WATER SUPPLY.

H.E The Governor this afternoon is formally opening the new waterworks & Co.; Mr. N. J.

dam at Tytam Tuk. The large masonry dam at the head of the Tytam Baylis capable of impounding 1,440 million gallons of water. The scheme has involved the laying nstallation of two new sets of pump. ing machinery each capable of raising 3,000,000 gallons per 24 hours a height 400 feet. Many other important contingent works are embraced in the scheme which has taken just five years to complete. The total cost of these works amounts to \$2,455,000.

AN OPEN SEWER AND A FOUL SMELLING NULLAH

Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio pursuant to octice will ask at the next meeting of celebrated on the following Sunday the Sanitary Board the following February 24th.

questions:-(a) In whose property is the open the Macso festivity railway line in Kowloon? (b) Why is it not covered, as

mosquitoes Is the Head of Sanitary Depart ment aware that the stench arising from it is a cause of much Joseph's Seminary

trouble to the children and the playground? has the foul nulian in Glenealy not been attended to! This matter was day during the Novena raised by me lost year and subsequently at various times by the

PROCLAMATIONS.

Hongkong Telegraph?

Three proclamations are published the Government Gazette, viz No. 1 .- The Geneva Convention Act. 1911 (Colonies) Order in Council

1917, to come into force in the Colony on 1st February. Colony to be subject to the Army Act for a further period of three months

2nd January, 1918, proclaimed devotees Cornamicated. in the Colony.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. A. H. G. JACKSON.

The funeral of the late Mr. A. H. G. Jackson took place yesterday evening in the Protestant Cemetery at Happy Valley. Having been a member of the Engineer Company in the local Defen e Corps, the deceased was buried with His Excellency the Governor in full military honours. The coffin, draped with the Union Jack, was borne to the cometery on a gun carriage drawn Year's Day) to be observed as a General by members of the Defence Corps, preceded by the Band of the 18th Infantry playing Chopin's Funera March. There was a large attendance general information that a memorial of at the funeral and a profusion of wreaths. The Rev. V. H. Copley Moyle resd the burial service, and a firing party from the Company of which

the deceased was a member fired three

sounded the "Last Post.". H. E. the Governor was represented by his A.D.C. Mr. P.P.J. Wodehouse, The total output of the Kailan Percy Tester and Mr. A H. Crew (chief mourners), Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G., Sir William Rece Davies, Mr. Justice Gompertz, Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, C.M.G., Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyosk, Mr. N. J.

Stabb, Sir Ellis Kadoorie, Hon. Mr. C. be Members of the Medical Board, vice McI Messer (C.S.P.), Mr. T. H. King Dr. Aubrey and Dr. Marriott, resigned. (A.S.P.), Mr. F. C. Jenkin (D.S.P.R.) Mr. T. F. Hough (A.S.P.R.) Mr. J. W It will be seen from the announce- Franks (A.S.P.R.), Captain Cassel, ment made in another column that the D.A.A.G., Major Macdonald, Captains of Hongkong are hoping to raise Buck, F. W. James, J. Russell and W. McKenny, and Lieutenants

G. C. Moxon, R. H. B. Hancock, R. Loan Drawing. It is a large sum, but Sutherland, D. Templeton and W. J. in view of the experience in the Straits Hill Messrs. H.J. Gedge, Eldon Potter, G. C. Alabaster, Mr. E. J. Grist, G. Hastings, E. Dividson, F. B. L. Bowley, F. H. d'Almada, F. X. d'Almada, H. A. Nesbit, P. Hodgson, J. R. Wood, D. V. advertised as the Straits drawings were. Steavenson, J. W. Taylor, F. Smyth, H. W. Dick, J. S. Dobie, P. C. Potts,

Dowbiggin, S. Sassoon, F. Van Rees, obtaining money by false pretences A. R. Lowe, L. N. Leefe, A. E. Griffin, from a shop at |166 Wing Lok Street. | G. S. Archbutt, E. des Voeux, F. Sergt. Cockee said a man was sent Maitland; C. Beswick, A. O. Lang, \$450 from this firm. One of the defen- Smith, D. Jaffe, B. M. Dyer, J. Reid, be better if masters would take their mosquito head nets, 28 small

> Amongst the numerous wreaths were Mother, Sisters and Brothers; Hong-H.K.D.C., Hongkong and Shanghai salutation. Bank, Junior Mess, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, International Banking, Meron and F. Smyth, Dennis & Bowley; rison Hill Mess: Lau Chu

Son, R. E. Detachment, Lyemun: Worcester, Lammert and Silva : P. and O. Mess; Perseverance Lodge No. 1165 E.C.; Gande, Price & Co.; ive miles of additional mains and the Local Printing Press; Benjamin and into the teaching of English at best wishes of the City Hall Working Potts; Lo & Co.; and Stawart Bros.

> INNUAL FEAST AND PROCESSION OF THE CROSS IN MACAO.

This traditional festivity has ever been maintained with increased devotion, even among Non-Christians, in the Colony of Macso and Hongkong, and special excursions will take place on the 17th inst, the day of the procession.

In Hongkong the same feast will be chai School. au Loi On, Class Prize.

The following is the programme of

sewer running parallel to the February 7th. Commences the No yens at 8.30 a.m. by the Chaplain of St practically stagnant water in it Agustin Church with a short sermon. is a good breeding place for Mass and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament The musical part is entrusted to St. Cicily Choir of the St.

During the Novens there will be grown-ups who use the Kowloon extra Masses from 6.30 a.m., and from a.m. the Chaplain will be at the possi of those who wish to confess any

> at 5.30 a.m. and at 10 a.m. Solemn the Prizes at Wantsai. The results of High Mass and sermon by the Rev. Fr. Jayme Ribeiro Martins and at 7 p.m. Procession to the Se Cathedral.

February 17th. High Mess in Cathedral at 9 a.m. and at 4 p.m. as many firms in the Colony were on application to the Postmaster Sermon by the Rev. Dr. Antonic José anxious to obtain Chinese clerks who General. Gomes: then the Procession starts on could talk and write Roglish wellits usual itinerary and will return to St. He suggested that Class 4, the senior Agustin Church about 6.45 p.m. when class, should start an English-speaking the Very Rev. Vicar-General Fr. José Club. Chinese boys, who worked really No. 27 His Majesty's Forces in the da Costa Nunes will close the festivity with the sermon of the Cross.

Three distinguished preachers have No. 3,-Ingitive Offenders Order specially been invited for the occasion, of His Majesty in Council of which will be highly appreciated by the

WANCHAI SCHOOL

PRIZE-GIVING.

The prizes at this School were given away yesterday afternoon, by Mr. Ralphs, Inspector of English Schools. The Head Master, Mr. R. J. Birbeck,

M.A., read the following report: During the year school was held on 229 days with an average daily atten dance of 243. The highest number on the roll was 289 in February and the lowest 217 in January,

In the annual Examination held in July 255 boys were examined and 255

In nearly all classes Composition and Colloquial were the weakest subject; in Class 5, 12 boys out of 36 failed Arithmetic and in Map Drawing. volleys over the grave and the buglers Class 6 A and B were poor. Apart from this, the work was quite satisfactory and as Recitation has been and among others present were .- Mr. given up, and the time used regard to the Chinese Examination: Mr. Loung Shui On reports that the oral work was good, while the written work was satisfactory.

versation from them.! This is, I think, largely due to shyness as they are not accustomed to European Masters.

During the Summer months the boys had several bathing picnics at Lai-ch Kok and Deep Water Bay. In the team race at the H. K. A. A. swimming sports this school took third place and prizes were won in other events.

Teams were also entered in the H. K. Schools' sports, Queen's College and Yaumati school sports. At Football we entered a team for the Schools. Junior League. We are handicapped as many other schools are by not having a vests, 131 bed jackets, 285 prs. pyjamas, suitable play ground.

4 for walks on Sundays, and this might milk covers, 42 scrubbers, 72 theatre well be encouraged in other classes. All squares, 15 mosquito nets large size, dants, who bore a similar name to this K. E. Greig, R. McGregor, R. E. Belilios, own classes. At present it is all done pillows, 5 holdalls, 17 surgeons' coats.

The discipline of the school is good, per cent. will be distributed in in geographical sub-sections, and paid over the money. Subsequently he those from the following: Father, but complaints have reached me of the cent. will be given to War information relating to a particular learnt to his dismay that the money kong Stock Exchange; Johnson, Stokes boys kicking balls about in the roads and Master ;-Officers, Engineer Co., | near the school. This has been forwhich covers that country. The and he immediately informed the H.K.D.C., Warrant Officers, N.C.O.'s bidden. Chinese boys who have were packed in 6 cases and sent for and Men, Engineer Co., H.K.D.C., adopted European hats seem somewhat Officers; His Comrades, 40th Campany, slow in adopting European methods of Bombay, R.E.; The Old Scouts Co., of the

In March Mr. Brawn, Head Master, Corporation, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. P. H left the Colony on active service, and Holyosk,; Mr. F. C. Jenkin; Ewo Junior Mr. Yan Pak Law took his place. Mr. Ellis Chan Po. Shang and Mr. Cheung Shiu large box-full to the French Red Cross Kam joined the staff during the year Pak and Mr. An Iu Kau and Mr. Mak-king Cheung left.

Government Schools.

During the coming year some alterations and necessary repairs to the building will be carried out by the

PRIZE LIST.

CLASS 4.- Lan Ynn Kaw Free Scholar. ship, Queen's College. Wong Kwek Fong, Free Scholarship, · Queen's Colloge. Cheng Ho Lam, Free Scholarship, Queen's College. Pun Ho I, Free Scholarship, Queen's

Tse Lai To, Free Scholarship, Queen's Ctuss 5-Pang Ying Chan, F. S. Wan-

In Nim ()p. U Po Kai, Prize for Chinese. Mak Sik Ying LASS 61-Chan Yam Choi, F. S. Wanchai School and Prize for Chinese

Tsai Iu Won, Class Prize. Shiu Ping Sheung. U Ting Kin. Prize for Chinese. LASS CB .- Thang Sum Ful Class Prize and Prize for Chines A. M. Fatty Dad, Class Prize

Chan Yan Kit, Chan Sik Chan, Prize for Chinese. CLASS 7.—Chan Yau Koi, F. S. Wantsai School and Prize for Chinese. Luk Hin San, Class Prize.

Mok Chenk Kwong, Class Prize.

Fok Pak Iu, Prize for Chinese. Mr Balpas in the course of his. marks said that this was the first time the Annual Examination were good, but he had noticed weakness in Composition in the last papers he had seen.

hard, could now obtain a free education owing to the many scholarships offered by the Government, and private in allow your throat and lungs to become

The proceedings terminated with cheers Wantes School

THE YING WA COLLEGE. ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

The annual prize distribution of the

Ying Wa College took place last night at the new school building, in Bonham The Ray T. W. Pearce LL.D., dis-

tributed the prizes, and there was large gathering of parents and friends of the pupils and the punils of the

The ceremonics were opened with concert, in Chinese, arranged by the pupils, which was greatly enjoyed.

The Head Master then read the report which covered a period of eighteen months. Amongst other things the report mentioned that many difficulties had been encountered which had unfortunately retarded the progress of the school, but they had now all been overcome and the present outlook was brighter than it had been st any sime. There was still room for improvement in attendance, the daily Colloquial or Composition, we expect everage of which had been, for 1916, 102. GENTLE CAT and STAMESE CAT (i), 13 improvements in these subjects. With For the first time boys of the School had passed the Local Examination of the Hongkong University, one boy passing the Junior Local Examination in December 1916 and four boys in I have noticed that the boys are not July 1917. Due regard had been paid at all fond of talking English and it is to the physical and moral training of very difficult to get any kind of con- the pupils and such sports as football and swimming had been properly

> arranged for. . Dr. Pearce then distributed the prizes and addressed the scholars in Chinese. A short dramatic performance PERSIAN CAT (i), 11 m., 40,, 1.19.2, followed and after tea had been served. the ceremony concluded.

WOMEN'S WAR WORK. CITY HALL WORK PARTY.

During the month of January the City. Hall Work Party picked the following:-25 dressing gowns, 136 shirts, 221 23 reversible bed jackets, 15 Surgical Mr. Leung occasionally takes Class shirts, 55 dozen handkerchiefs, 10 dozen 98 shrouds, 14 pra invalide boots, 42 prs. slippers, 67 tray cloths 25 head bandages, 17 many-tailed bandages, 24 eye bandages, 21 mops, 5 razors, 12 packs of cards. These distribution to the Red Cross Depot in EBONY PEARL (0), 1 m., 84, 1.09,

pra knees caps, 36 caps, 16 pra. gloves, 30 prs bed socks, 14 white caps. distributing centre in Bombay and a in Paris.

The list also includes 5 prs. sock. 1 pr. knee caps and I muffler which were On April 30th the school was visited given to the Rev. H. G. H. Griffith on by the Committee appointed to suquire his departure for the Front, with the

mufflers were given to local troops and this included 12 mufflers generously given by friends. Included in the above packings are 6 prs. pyjamas sent by the

Italian Convent Work Party. Mrs. Stabb writes:-

One of our slipper makers, who has. just completed her 250th pair, tells me that the ladies of Quarry Bay have collected a further \$30.00. towards the wool used for the uppers of the slippers. Monday February 11th. and Tuesday 12th. being China New Year Holiday, it SUNRISE DAHLIA (o), 1 m., 85, L.08.2. is proposed to do the cutting out on the afternoon on Friday the Sth and to TABBY CAT. 11 m., 40, 1.17, 1.52, give out and receive work on the morning of Wednesday the 13th.

We have received many letters and acknowledgements this month, amongst them one from Glasgow, which has been round the world before finally arriving at the City Hall

Copies of these letters from London, Glasgow, Alexandria, Busrah, Calcutta and Quetta have been forwarded to us. They express high appreciation of the Beaconnight (i), 14 m., 40, 1.19, gifts made by the City Hall Work

A registered package addressed to DANDY DAHLIA (0), 11 m., 84, 1.18.2, Capt. W. Wallace 22nd. Punjabis, Indian February 16th - Low Special Mass an Inspector of Schools had given away Expeditionary Force "D" c/o Preaidency Postmenter, Bombsy, containing men's woollen underelothing, is lying at the General Post Office, having been returned by the Bombay Post Office as I undeliverable. The sender is unknewn. He wished to call particular atten- The package was posted on Jan. 12th. tion to this subject and Colleguial, 1916, and will be returned to the sender

> is abourd to allow a cough to hang con and sap your vitality when Royalsand (o), 11 m., 42, 1.19 Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will core gou. You don't know where a persistent cough will land you. You can't afford to diseased when it is such a simple tiping to step into a chemist's shop and get a Bittle of Chamberlain's Cough Remody for Mr. Relpha the Head Master and Wor wie by all Chemists and Store

DON'T COUGH.

TRAINING NOTES.

THIS MORNING'S GALLOPS.

There was quite a big crowl at the Happy Valley to witness this morne ing's gallops." The ground was very good and some good times were rucorded. Both courses were used. The "o" and "i" in parenthesis denote outside und inside course. Below we give the times;-

DERBY GRIFFINS.

BANTAM DAMEIA (0), 11 this 41; 1.14, 1.50, 2.25, 2.50, 3.83, BLACK CAT (0), 13 m., 48, 1.19, 1.55, 2.30.3, 8.02.

CONQUEST DANLIA (0), 13 m., 36.8, 1.10, 1.83.4, 2.20, 2.54, 8.28, Domino (o), 1 m., 40, 1.16.8, 1.52

DRAGONSAND and DAINTYBAND (0), 12 m., 84, 1.10, 1.45.8, 2.20, 2.58.2. FANLING CHIEF (0), 11 m. 88, 1.10, 1.44, 2,19.2, 2,54.1, 3,29

m., 42.2, 1.22.8, 1.57, 2.32.3, 8.07, 8,40. GREY MOUSE (o), 1 m., 37.2, 1.16.2,

KORAND (i), 1 m. 89, 1.16, 1.58,

LUCKYSAND (i), 11 m., 26, 1.11, 1.45, LUSITANIA PRARL (i), 11 m., 47, 1.28, 2.07; 2.49, 3.22, 8.55.

MAYRE (i), 1 m., 36, 1.14, 1.50, Modesty Danlia, 4 m., 89, 1.09.4,

1.55, 2.81, 3.07.8, 3.41. ROCKSAND (o), 17 m., 86, 1.11.4, 1.50.4, 2.28, 8.01., SALAMANDER and ANDREW (i), I m.,

34.1, 1.11.2, 1.45.4, 2.18.1; ! _Andrew, 2.20. SHATIN DAHLM WITH KALGAN CHIEF (c), 1‡ m., 85.2, 1.11.2, 1.47.1,

2.23.1, 2.56.8. TYTAM CHIEF (o), 14 m., 88, 1.18, 1.47.2, 2.22, 2.55, 8.27.1. UNIQUE DAHLIA (o), 11 m., 84, 1.18.2, 1.43.2, 2.15, 2.51.9. WILD CAT, 14 m., 42, 1.28, 2.00,

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS.

2.38.8, 8.12.2, 3.44.

BALCARY and RIDGEWAY (i), 1 m., 85.2, 1.11.4, 1.47.1, 2.21.2; Ridgeway, 2.24.2.

CAMOUFLAGE and BILL BREWER (0), 1 m., 37, 1:14.3, 1.51, 2.26, DIVIDEND (i), It m., joined at mile by Yser, 43.1, 1.22, 1:56:1, 2.32, 8.00, 8.48.2; Yser, 8.44.

1.43, 2.18. 527 prs. secks, 189 .mufflers, 33 GREENCLOTH (o), 1 m., 35.4, 1.18.1; 1.49:1, 2.22.

HAGGIS (i), 1; m., 51, 1.84, 2.14, 2.51.2, 8.26, 8.58. These were sent to the Red Cross HUNTSMAN (i), 7 m., 41, 1.15, 1.47.2. King Jim (i), 1 m., 40, 1.20.2, 2.02,

2.87.8. KINGSWAY and TEMPLE BAR. (0), 11. m., 86, 1.11.1, 1.45.8, 2.18.4, 2.53; Temple Bor, 2.51.

MARNE (I), 11 m., 89.8, 1.17.1, 1.51.1, 2.28, 8.03.1, 8.39. MEADOW MOUSE (i), 11 m., 48.2, 1.80.2, 2.09.1, 2.47.1, 8.25,

3.58.1. Three pre. socks, 1 pr. knee-caps 361 Monning Glony, 1 m., 86, 1.08.4. PERSELL (i), joined by OVERTHERE at the last quarter, 1 m., 84.1, 1.08.1, 1.41.8, 2.16.1.

OLD BILL (0), 1 m., 48, 1.21.1, 1.58, SPORTINGSAND (o), 7 m., 86, 1.11,

SUNBAY DABLIA (0), 1 m., 85, 1.11, -1.48, 2.20. SNUFFBOX, joined by Purrbox at the mile (i), 11 m., 42, 1.20, 1.57.2, 2.83; 8.08, 8.40.8

SUNSTAR DAHLIA (i), 2 m., 86.2, 1.18.2, 1.45.4. 1.48.2, 2.18.2 2.28, 2.59.4

WHITE CAT (i), # m., 84, 1.07.4, 1.40; OLD PONIES.

ANTICIPATION DAHLIA (o), 11 m., 41.2, 1.22.1, 1.59, 2.85.2, 8.12, 8.46,4; ATTRACTION DAHLIA (o), 14 m., 89,

1.48.1, 1.14, 1.51, 2.27, 3.33.8,

1.56; 2.88, 3.10, 8.41.8. BYPLANE and MING DICK (I), 14 m. 41, 1.18, 1.57, 2.38, 8.07.2.

1.48.2, 2.15, 2.52. FARY LIGHT (i), 14 m., 46, 1.27, 2.05, 2.46, 8.25, 8,58.27 CORONET DAHLIA (0), 7 m., 41, 1,16. GLUBIOUS PEARL, 14 m., 89, 1.16.2, 1.55, 2.88.4, 8.09, 8.42.2, MERRYSAND (0), 11 m., 42, 1,20, 1.57.2, 2.88.1, 3.06. PERFECTION DAHLIA (0), 11 m., 84

1.13,1, 1.50, 2.29.1, 8.02.1, Sandy (i), 11 m., 89, 1.18, 1.52.2, 2.28 2 8.04 8.85. STAR OF DOON (i), 14 m., 42, 1.20.2 1.57/ 2.84, 3.00.1, 8.41. **52.02.8**, 2.42, 3.19, 8.49,

THE SPEC (i), 12 m. 82, 1.08, 1.4 inneon Danlia (o), 14 m., 84, 1.0 2.18.2, 2.02.1, 8.24.2. WAS DARLIA THAT I M. 48, 100.

1.64, 2.27.4, 8.08, 8.85.8,

TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

LORD LANSDOWNE CONCURS WITH THE PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

LONDON, Feb. 1. Replying to a congratulatory address from an influential deputation, introduced by Lord Loreburn, Lord Lansdowne declared that he and his sympathisers were determined on an honourable and durable peace. He said: " It was unthinkable that we

should be disloyal to our Allies." Lord Lansdowne said he concurred with the Premier's restatement of the calculated to carry the endorsement of moderate opinion all over the

"INTERNATIONAL STATE IDEA FOR AFRICA.

> PORTUGUESE NATION ALARMED.

> > LONDON, Feb. 1.

Correspondence between the Royal Geographical Society and the Gio--graphical Society of Lisbon which ITALIAN THRUSTS CONTINUED passed in November last has been published.

The Lisbon Society wrote saying the Portuguese nation was most to found a kind of international State in Africa, the chief reason for alarm planes. being that Mr. Arthur Henderson was an ex-Cabinet Minister, but the Society contradicted the report that Mr. Henderson was acting with the knowledge of the Government. The THE INTER-ALLIED CONFERENC Society declared that the Anglo-Portuguese Alliance did not permit of the practicability of such an idea and solicited the opinion of the Royal. Geographical Society.

Colonel Sir Thomas Holdich replied that he was of the oninion that no serious opinion existed in Great Britain in favour of such a proposal to which any serious importance should be attached

The Lisbon Society replied thanking Colonel Holdich for his message which has had the best effect in calming our minds. 'P

COTTON EXPORTS TO THE EAST.

LONDON, Jan. 31 Replying to a deputation of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce regarding the shortage of shipping In connection with cotton exports to India and the East, the Shipping Controller said the Manchester Guardian had reported that the United States Government had stated that it would endeavour to make every practicable provision, but he regretted it would be impossible to promise any considerable alleviation at present.

out that owing to the reduction in raiders. tonnage and the necessity of giving priority, to food, it would probably be GERMANY'S REASON FOR BOMBING impossible to maintain the imports . of cotton at the level of last year.

THE SILVER MARKET.

LONDON, Jan. 31. " The Silver Market is quiet.

Messrs. Samuel, Montagu and that City." Company's Silver report states that the tone of the market is again easier. The fall in price is attributable to more free supplies as the demand, though not active, has been fairly good. The Shanghai Exchange, where some speculation has been going on, has not moved sympathetically but has actually hardened. There is a continued shrinkage of the Indian Treasury silver holding and the difficulty of silver supplies in expanding correspondingly to the abnormal demand for mintage as

> DEATH OF MR. ALFRED ROTHSCHILD.

render the issue of rupes notes in

India timely.

LONDON, Jan., 81. The death is announced of Mr. Alfred Rothschild.

Jate Baron Lionel Rothschild, and was for some years on the directorate of the Bank of England. He was a member of Scotland's part in the war. the Legion d'honneur of France.]

A FORTY YEARS' TEST. for the past forty years and has gained EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE WESTERN FRONT. OSTILE ARTILLERY ACTIVITY

LONDON, Jan. 31. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas

Air petrols secured prisoners in the neighbourhood of Epshy. There was hostile artillery firing southward and northward of Lens and in the neighbourhood of Passchendacie. FRENCH AERIAL ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Jan. 29. A French communiqué states :--A German scroplane was brought down and three others fell damaged in

Our sir squadrons dropped 6,000 kilogrammes of explosives on the railway war aims, on January 18, which was station at Conflans, factories at St. Privat and in the region of various

FRENCH AEROPLANE BOMBS THIAUCOURT STATION.

LONDON, Jan. 30. A French communiqué states :-A French seroplane bombed, from a very low altitude, the station at Thiaucourt, causing a great fire.

THE ITALIAN FRONT.

LONDON, Jan. 31: An Italian official report states:-Our detachments continued their thrusts southward of Asiago and alarmed by the Labourite proposal improved the position north eastward of Col-del-Rosso.

We brought down three enemy sero-The English sirmen brought down four enemy machines.

AT PARIS.

COMPLETE ALLIED ACCORD.

Paris, Jan. 31. The Inter-Allied Conference exchanged views in connection with the speeches of Count Hertling and Count Czernin, and the expediency of replying. The proceedings showed the complete + accord of the Allies, both militarily and

M. Clemenceau, the French Premier, stated that he was very well satisfied with the result of the deliberations.

> LONDON'S AIR DEFENCES. EVERYTHING POSSIBLE

BEING DONE LONDON, Jan. 31. In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. A. A. Lynch, Nationalist Member for Clare, West, Mr. Bonar Law said that the Cabinet is satisfied that the Western Front. everything possible is being done to maintain and improve the efficiency of the air defences of London. He was of opinion that everybody, except possibly Mr. Lynch, was surprised at the successof the defence.

70 BRITISH AIRMEN COMBAT RAIDERS.

LONDON, Jan. 29. In the House of Commons, Mr. Mac-Pherson, Parliamentary Secretary to the War Office, stated that 70 sirmen The Shipping Controller pointed went up last night to combat the

LONDON, Jan. 31. A German official report states:-As a reprisal for the bombing German open towns, our aviators, last night, dropped 14 tons of bombs on Paris in a first systematic air attack on

GERMAN AIRMEN DESERT

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31. For the first time since the war two German airmen crossed the frontier a The mirmon landed, destroyed their

machine and then deserted on hicycles AMERICA AND FOOD ECONOMY.

LONDON, Jan. 31. In the House of Commons Mr. Clynes, Parliamentary Under Secretary to the Ministry of Food, stated that an appeal by the American Food Controller to America to economise in food in order to supply the Allies had met with a splendid response. (Cheers.)

EDINBURGH CASTLE TO BECOME WAR MUSEUM.

conversion of Edinburgh Castle into

FIVE SHILLING NOTES.

London, Jan. 31.

BRITISH HOSPITAL NEAR BAGHDAD BOMBED.

LONDON, Jan. 31. A British despatch from Mesopotamia

Hostile seroplanes, on the night of January 34-25, bombed our hospital near Baghdad, causing casualties. Our airmen, on the night of January 25-26 successfully attacked Turkish Headquarters, units and zero

RESUMED.

BAVARIA TO BE SPECIALLY REPRESENTED.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31. The Peace Conference at Brestlitovak

Bavaria would be specially represented. Republic" were incorporated, in the Russian Delegation.

WHY BAVARIA IS REPRESENTED. LONDON, Jan 31.

The representation of Bavaria at Brestlitovsk possesses a certain significaance by the fact that it. arises out of 1871, entitling her to participate in the Empire's peace negotiations.

It is noteworthy that the Bavarian representative . before going to Brest litovsk, went to Berlin to receive his instructions

THE POSITION OF UKRANIA.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31. that the Ukranian Council of Work men's and Soldiers' Delegates controlled the entire coal basin of Donetz, the mining region of Ekaterinoslav and the Governments of Charkow and Poltava The Council's power is increasing, while the influence of the Kieff Rada is to the policy of carrying on the war. steadily declining; thus peace with the Rada's delegation could, under the present circumstances, in no way be regarded as peace with the Ukranian

RUMANIAN TROOPS ENTER KISHINEFF.

JASSY, January 31. Rumanian troops, on the invitation of the Russian High Command in the South-West, entered Kishineff amid the cheers of the population.

THE BUSSO-GERMAN TRUCE.

AMERICAN CHARGE AGAINST GERMANY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29. War, Department charges Germany, with violating the terms of the Russian truce by, transferring troops from the Eastern Front to

THE STRIKES IN GERMANY,

MANY SOCIALIST LEADERS ARRESTED.

LONDON, Jan. 31. From unofficial reports it is estimated that there are 700,000 strikers in Berlin It is stated that many Socialist leaders have been arrested.

Martial-law has been proclaimed at Hamburg, Altona and Wandsbeck. The Minister. Herr Wallraf, and von Stein, the Prussian War Minister, have conferred.

It appears that the suspension of the Tageblait and other newspapers is due to their transgressing the censorship. The Cologne Gazette of January 29th stated that at least 20,000 shipyard workers at Hamburg are striking for immediate peace and more food.

The Koelnische Volkszeitung urges the Government to resist the strikers audacious demanda. The Nordsutsche, which so far has

affected not to take the movement seriously, now gravely lectures the

"NO DISTURBANCES ANYWHERE"

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31. A telegram, apparently semi-official from Berlin, dated January 30, states there are only 120,000 strikers. The newspapers, with few exceptions have again appeared on the streets and

the traffic is normal. There are no disturbances anywhere in the Empire.

AUTOGRACY OR DEMOCRACY. SIR E CARSON'S VIEW.

LONDON, Jan. 31. British Empire Producers' Organisation in London said that the present was a critical time both for ourselves and for In the House of Commons, the our enemies. He believed the position Secretary for Scotland announced that had resolved itself into this: "Would TMr. A. Rothschild was a son of the the Government had agreed to the Autocracy disciplined for war show greater endurance and courage than a National War Museum to commemorate league of Democracies trained for peace? The real issue was, "Could Democracy when attacked defend itself?" We all wanted peace, but the recent speeches of the Austrian and German leaders did not offer an honourable peace, "We In the House of Commons Mr. Bonar were told we must give up Aden, (HAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy Law stated that at present it was not Gibraltar, the Falklands Calands, Hong. has been curing coughs and colds, intended to issue five shilling notes, but kong and Malta, but so long as this is P. H. Cobb. W. H. Edmonds, O. C. for the past forty years and has gained in view of the nilver situation a stock of the enemy's dream, this gountry down Hickling, F. A. Bedmond, P. W. S. in popularity every year. What better in view of the silver situation a stock of the enemy's dream, this country, down

PATHOS AND FUR AT THE TANK BANK

BONDS IN MEMORY OF 10 DEAD SWEETHEARTS.

WE GEORGE HOBET TAKES £4,000 IN 15 MINUTES.

A London newspaper of December 3rd. contains the following paragraph. Bank opened on Saturday were ten girls, each of whom had lost sweetheart in the war.

They had all saved up to buy a Bond "to help other girls to get their sweet-hearts back quickly." They intend their money to be a gift to the country, and are not going to //redeem their Bonds, which they will keep and frame in memory of their lost ones. The queue at the Tank has never been

larger than it was on Saturday, and the day's takings amounted to £48 200. Chimas are unchanged from last week at bringing the total for the week to Tls. 115.

£319 640. In a lot of cases War Loan First Insusances.—China Fires foldividend warrants, received through the Dr. von Kuehlmann announced that post that morning, were used to buy savaria would be specially represented. Bonds or War Savings Certificates. Bavaria would be specially represented. Bonds or War Savings Certificates.

Mr. George Robey brought down a Saliepisc.—Deferred Indos after varepresentatives of the "Ukranian party of theatrical stars," and the rious fluctuations are slightly firmer on

comedian, after himself investing, tried the week, business having been done at the role of bank clark—with such success the close at \$159 for cash with corthat in just over a quarter of an hour responding rates forward. Douglases he had taken a [ull £4,000. His morry have come to business at \$78 and Steamshall tell Lord Landowne about you was his remark to an actor who promised a £1, 00 cheque for War Bonds. ACTEMENTS' BIG CHEQUES.

Miss Madge Litheradge stirred the crowd by reciting Alfred Noves's. " Song of the privileged position conceded to of England," and then set a patriotic ex-Bayaria under the Treaty of Versailles ample by investing £1,000 in Bonds. Miss Rene Kelly and Mr. Joseph Coyne each subscribed a similar amount; and Miss Lily Brayton, Miss Lilian Braith Kong Docks are offering at \$131, waite, Miss Lee White, and Miss Doris Shanghai Docks are firmer at Tls. 80 for Keane invested amounts varying from £100 to £500 Many more actresses bought Bonds, one of them giving five sovreigns in payment.

Accompanying Mr. Havelock Wilson, who spoke from the tank, was a seaman Lands at \$30 and West Points at \$78 ex who had lost both his legs as a result of dividend are unchanged from last week.

Deposit savagery. He was one of saven Humphreys could be placed at \$6. At Brestlitovsk, M: Trotzky stated D boat savagery. He was one of seven of a to pedoed ship's crew of 61 who had been cast a frift in an open boat in an icy sea, and rescued after ten days. Condemning Lord Lansdowns's letter, Mr. Wilson said that he had addressed over 50,000 people in the inst few weeks, and not more than 60 had raised any objection

TANK OF THE TELEPHONE. The Boy. R. J. Campbell, speaking later, said it was no use crying " Peace when there was no peace. Our enemies. at the moment were flushed with a new success, and were in anything but the mood to let us off on easy terms. Unless the Allies prevailed, the whole world would become Prussianised, and England herself would be treated in the same way as Germany had treated the smaller

From to-day it will be possible to telephone direct to the Tank Bank for War Bonds.

LEND IT AGAIN.

£50,000,000 PAID OUT IN WAR LOAD DIVIDENDS.

Many of those who shared in the interest in War Loan stock recently meeting of business men organized by received with their dividend warrants a the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce. etter from Lord Canliffe. "I have been requested by

Charceller of the Exchequer" he wrote, 'ito express to you his exmest hope that with a view to rendering all the assistance in your power towards providing for the financial needs of the country, you will invest in National War Bonds as large a portion of the enclosed dividend as you can possibly arrange to sat aside for the purpose. "As Governor of the Bank of England I take the liberty of impressing upon

you the importances of an immediate and satisfactory response to this appeal."

THE WAR BONDS CAMPAIGN. Among the messages received by the National War Savings Committee re-

cently were the following :-BESSOF OF LONDON. It is a critical moment of the war, and every citizen in my opinion should be prepared to stake his all in the cause of freedom. I only wish I had more money to invest in War Bonds myself.

SIR A. COMAN DOYLE. I have put every pound I can acrape together into War Bonds, and I am sure such an opportunity of a gilt-edged

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MB. HODGE WANTS A BETTER CHANCE FOR THE CHILDREN

Mr. John Hedga regards himself as foster-father to the million people now on the books of the Ministry of Pensions. He told this to an audience at Wood Green, and said that millions of leaflets were being distributed in the base hospitals in France and at home explaining what the Midlstry of Pensions is announced that the coming of the anxious to do for broken heroes. In the course of a week of two, he added, he friendly act which has been done in the hoped to be in a position to make that common interests of the Allies. Their great charter of the disabled soldiers proximity naturally invited them. He and sailors, the Barnes Warrant, better expresses no doubt that the Japanese than it was when Mr. Barnes left it. He will take no action towards protecting was particularly anxious about the Allied interests without the knowledge children, for with them would rest the of the Russian authorities. Sir Edward Carson, addressing the future of the nation. Be did not believe that a mother ought to go out to work for her children when the bread-winder had made the supreme sacrifice. His desire was that there abould be such an allowance as would permit mothers to do their full duty to their children.

HOCKEY.

UNITED SERVICES LEAGUE. The following will represent the diphtheria, scarlet fever and con-Hougkong Defence Corps in their sumption are diseases that are often league match against the Royal contracted when the child has a cold. Engineers at Happy Valley on Monday. That is why all medical authorities my Bully off 4.30 p.m sharp

in popularity every year. What better in view of the state of a tock of recommendation is required? For sale such notes had been printed with a view to the greatest pacifist, will have nothing Hodgron, K. Brayahay (Capt.), E. W. by all Chemists and Storekeepers. to immediate use if necessary.

COMMERCIAL

HONGKONG SHARE MIRKET

Mesers Moxon and Taylor's Wookly deport for the week ending I February says:—
Since our last Report business has been

fairly quiet and rather meagre in volume. There has been no feature of any note, and at the close the market is inactive. Shanghai has continued rather more active, and although a small business has been reported rates have been well

The Stock Exchange is closed to-day as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Mr. A. H. G. Jackson. BANKS. - Hongkong Banks have buyers at \$625 with a small business done at the rate.

MARINE INSURANCES .- Ca tons are wanted at \$300. Unions have advanced to a buying rate of \$765 and North FIRE INSUSANCES.-China Fires fol-

lowing the advance in Unions are now quoted: \$127 buyers. Hongkong Fires

REFINERIES - China Sugars are wanted at 690 and Malabons at 8331. Que and Mining-Langkate at Tls. 144, Banbe at \$3.40, Kailans at 38 - and Shells at 112 - could all be placed at quotations, whilst Tropohe at 30/- and

Urals at 23/ are on offer. DOCKS WHARVES AND GODOWNS .-Kowloon Wharves are a quiet market at \$96 with \$99 done for March. Hong-Shanghai Docks are firmer at Tls. 80 for

LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS .-Centrals are quiet at \$91 ex dividend Hongkong Lands at \$861, ex dividend and Hongkong Hotels at \$20. Kowloon Corrox Mana Shanghai quotes the following :- Ewo Tls. 170, changhai

Yangtszepoos Tis. 81, the last named baving just declared a dividend of Tis. 1.25 per share. ELECTRIC COMPANIES.—Hongkong Electries are wanted at \$49 and China Lights at \$4. Hongkong Trams are offering at

Cottons Tis. 123, Kung Yiks Tis. 14.10.

MISCELLANZOUS.-Watsons are a quiet market at \$53. Cements have come to business at \$7.89. Dairy Farms continue on offer at \$301, and Ropes at \$281. Ices are wanted at \$190 and Waterboats have changed hands at \$124. EXCHANGE-The demand rate on London is 2/114 and the T.T. selling rate on Shanghai is 68.

GERMAN TRADE AIMS.

SIR A. STEEL-MAITLAND ON WORK THROUGH NEUTRALS.

Bir Arthur D. Steel-Maitland, M.P. Director of the new Government Commercial Intelligence Department, visited Liverpool recently and addressed a Fir Arthur explained the reasons for the association of the Foreign Office and Board of Trade in the new Department pointing out, that for either Department alone to deal with some uestions which might arise would be nsatisfactory, but for the two offices to work together was the most re-sonable business-like way of treating the

whole matter. The new Department, he said, was to bee permanent one, and it would have to deal with the whole of the Consular and Commercial Attaché Service Awhleh should be completely revised and remodelled with the object of making it as helpful to the commercial community as a Government Department could be. The main problem we had to face in our overses trade was the one set us by our competitors abroad, and most sericusly by Germany. Before the war German industry and commerce were very closely organized; German Snance and banking were a very closely united entity, and there was a greater connexion between the two in Germany than in any other country. The Germans, if they could manage to re-establish their control of trade after the war, meant to do so. He had evidence reachling him from time to time that they

were quite definitely trying to do it at investment will not often occur in our the present time under the cover of lifetime. We need not slavishly imitate the German method in every detail. The Prussian ides in commerce as in war, was to dominate entirely the countries with which they were in relation. Many countries after the war were not going to let themselves be dominated by Germany, and if we set out with the programme of domination those countries would resist us quite rightly-just as much as they would the Germans.

> THE PROTECTION OF YLADIYOBTOCK.

TOKIO, Jan. 19. The Kokusai Agency learns from reliable source that the Commandant of the Russian troops at Habarovsk has of the Russian authorities.

by any subjects of the Allies at Viscivostock and there is no danger at present, according to a statement received from Consul General Kikuchi

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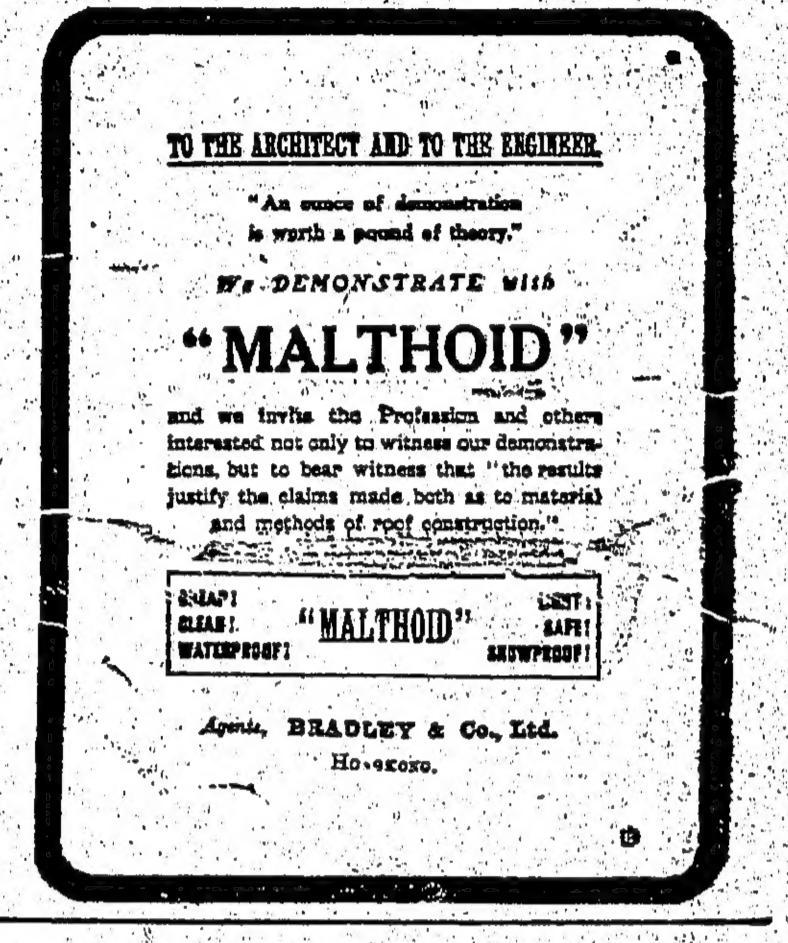
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EDINEUROH, Dec. 4. FORMER HONGEONG CHAPLAIN.

The death is announced at Torquay country only to die. of the Rev. Andrew Horsburgh at the age of PO years, who spent a hirgo portion of his life in India and China. He was born at Pittenweem, and graduated at St. Andrews University. Between 1850, and 1856 he was successively chaplain of the Foreign Factories in Canton, a member of the Cathedral staff at Hongkong, acting chaplain at Sarawak in the Borneo. In Scotland he held charges at Campbeltown, and Edinburgh, and! personality in Edinburgh. Mr. Horsburgh had a wide knowledge of the old North-West of India, and was intimately acquainted with many of. the officers who helped to make history in the stirring days of the Mutiny and in later times. Mr. Horshurgh was a good chess player and golfer, figure on the Braid Hills in the south of Edinburgh. He was a great Gilmour of Craigmillar; admirer of our historic ballad poetry. Master Muson: Colonel R. King Mr and Mrs W. A. Mr A. Z. Sycip and published a book of ballads. He

A MEROINE OF THE WAR.

was also author of "Sketches

When the full history of Scotland's Grund Warden. part in the war comes to be written, nothing in the record will stand out capable women who, organised the Scottish Women's Hospital for Foreign Service. The career of its heroic foundress, Dr. Elsie, Inglis, whose attaches a new nobility to the name of Scotswoman; though pride in her that the British War Office wo find any use for her services.

The late Dr. Elsie Inglis was born

in India, the daughter of an Indian Civil servant, and she was one of the first women to take a medical degree in Edinburgh University. For outbreak of hostilities, after failing to receive recognition from the Royaumont. This was soon followed remained there for five years." Subse- Mr F. B. Johnson by hospital units in Corsica, Rus quently he went to India, and took Mr & Mrs Jonckheer mania, and Russia. But above all, up the position of Professor of Engi-Dr. Elsie Inglis' work was identified of the Government of India, Poona, with Serbia, work which has been in 1890. He occupied that position

tish Women's Hospital attached to the Serbian Division of the Russian Army, and shared in all the dangers

of the Rumanian retreat. That Mr D. Abraham Mr and Mrs J. rigours of her many hand experiences Mr E. W. Adams Leiria told upon her constitution; her health Mrs A. G. Anderson Mr C. Little Mrs Goo S. Archbutt Major and Mrs D. broke down; and she returned to this MrsAsheroft

HIGHLAND MEMORIAL CHURCH. Scottish Highlanders who lie in Mrs E.R. Belilios unmarked graves on our many war Mr C. D. J. Bell fronts are being fittingly remembered Mr J. P. de Berry in the religious life of the country. Mr.H.E. Beyer. The memorials are of various kinds, Mr J. D. Birrell and the latest is a Highlanders Mr H. Bock Memorial Church in Glasgow. It is Mr and Mrs A. L. connected with the U.F. denomina ... Bouet tion, but it is elequent of the new Mrs Brand & family Mr and Mrs F early days of Rajah Rrooke, and spirit of the time that " in practice Mr W. G. Browell" missionary at Banting. In India he it will be unsecturism, free, and Mr R. H. Brown Mr J. B. Nicolson, Mr and Mrs H. R. Mr & Mrs H. Nolssco was stationed at Peshawur, the attractive to all creeds, and made Buckland Derajat, Delhi-where he was Chap-specially so to soldiers, sailors, and Mr N. Burns Ozorio Mr A. C. Potosky lain to the Forces at the time of the their friends. It is to be a centre Mr R. V. Cameron Mr W. J. Pringle visit of King Edward, who was then not only of spiritual work but of Mr& Mrs. Carpmaci Mrs. B. Pritchard Prince of Wales, at Nama Tal. He social-usefulness, and it is proposed Miss Carpmael and 9 sons retired in 1881 as Senior Chaplain, Club which will meet weekly and be Mrs. R. R. Plunkett- Miss F. Reay H.M. Ecclesiastical Establishment, conducted on the lines of the Cole and was offered the Bishopric of Y.M.C.A. huts. The Church in Mr J. J. Coleman Mr F. Reichelman situated at the corner of Waterloo Mr J. H. Coote Mr G. Rinch Mr J. D. Courtney Mr M. Rishovd Street and Main Street, it was form- Mr and Mrs Darby Mr D. Ritchie ally dedicated on Sunday, the nearest, Mr and Mrs. J. L. Capt. A. Robinson until a few years ago was a striking Sunday to St. Andrew's Day, and Davidson." plans for fix beautification have Rev and Mrs W. S. Mr and Mrs W. K. already been prepared. The relatives hir J. E. Edwards and friends of fallen men are invited Mr & Mrs Enticknep Mr C. E. Seybt

GRAND LODGE OF SCOTLAND. The annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Scottish Free- Mr V. Goulbourn masonry was held in Edinburgh on Mr and Mrs I. Gray Mrs W. H. Sparke St. Andrew's Day, when the follow- Mr J. R. Green and was for a long time a well-known ing Grand Officers were elected and Mr H. K. Halo those present were installed: Brigadier-General Robert Gordon Capt. T. P. Hall Grand Stewart of Murdostoun, Grand Master; Lord Montgomerie, Harling and shild Mrs R. E. Thompson Grand Master Deputy; Sir Henry Dundas, Substitute Grand Master; the Earl of Elgin, Senior Grand Warden; and the Earl of Stair, Junior

TO STIMULATE INVENTION. Ex-Councillor James Gordon, and more finely than the work performed engineer in Dundee, has intimated his Mrs M. Jolley by the noble group of thoughtful and desire to form a trust for the pro- Mr L.G. Joseph: Mr S. T. Williamson motion of inventions and improve- MrN.O. Kalpakdijan Capt, and Mrs. M. ments in machinery and processes in Dr. F. T. Keyt Wilson connection with the trade of Dundee Capt. T. Larsen Mr.C. P. Wolsifier. connection with the trade of Dundee. Recognising that in the strenuous Mr W. D. Latimer Mr G. G. Wood days before us there must be more untimely death has thrown a shadow activity of mind, more concentration over many wide circles, is one that on the improvement of machines to eliminate waste and increase produc-

tion, more co-ordination between educational institutions and indust Mr and Mrs Adams Dr and Mrs Koch achievements is mingled with regret tries, and a greater readiness to try Mr and Mrs. D. K. Mr and Mrs. G. P. new methods if we are to cope sucnot, in the earlier days of the war, cessfully with the altered conditions. Mr and Mrs O. T. Mrs W. G. Litt. he has set aside £1,000, the yearly Breakspear. Capt. & Mrs H. M. income of which is over £40, to be Mr and Mrs A. T. used for the stimulation of inventions. Carter DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN ENGINEER. Mr and Mrs H.A.

The death has occurred in Glasgow | Cartwright of Mr. A. W. Thomson, a native of Mr. Mrs F. W. Cary Nightingale the city, who held important engi- Mr and Mrs E. B. L. Mr T. L. Perkins neering appointments in India and Dowbiggin number of years she practised her Japan. Born in 1851, he was educat- Mr and Mrs J. T. Roberta profession in this city, and on the ed in the Neilson School, Paisley, and Douglas then at Glasgow University, where Mr S. Evans was a distinguished student. Mr. Denman Fuller Miss Skinner Graduating B.Sc. in 1874, in 1878 he Mrs Garlick British authorities, she approached become assistant professor in the Mr and Mrs B. A. Smith the French Government, and on lengineering college, Tokio, a position behalf of the Scottish Women's which he held till 1881. In the Mr and Mrs. H. B. Smith Suffrage Societies, established the following year he was appointed Pro- Harling & child: Mrs K. Sveen fessor of Engineering in the Agricul- Mrand Mrs J. C. M. Lt.-Col. John Ward neering in the College of Engineering generously recognised by the Serbian for 19 years. He took tip degree of Government and people: She served Doctor of Science in Engineering at Mrs R. Almond Mr C. D. Kincard through the Serbian campaign of 1915 Glasgow University in 1901, contri- Dr and Mrs Asger Mrs R. Legge buted to the literature of engineering, and sou and was taken prisoner. On her and was associated in this connection release she took charge of the Scot- with Professor Alexander of Tokio.

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Morgan, Administrative Commandant.

Ptc. H.C. Umrigar, "B" Company, is permitted to resign, on leaving the Colony, dated 16th January, 1918.
Gr. A. E. Silkstone, Artillery Company,

Tolony and joining the North China British Volunteer Corps. dated 26th

January, 1916. The Administrative Commandant recerds, with deep regret, the death of Eapper A.B.G. Jackson, Engineer Com-

pany, on 31th January, 1918.

No. 794 Pto. J. Martin, Signalling Sec-tion, is transferred to "B" Company. 250. 5 Plateon, dated 29th January, 1918.

Sergeant J. R. Kinghern, Engineer Company, is granted one year's leave

Pte. E.E. de W. Abney, "A" Company, is granted 100 days' leave from 4.2.18.
Pte. L. D. McNicoll, "A" Company, is grunted 3 menths' extension of leave,

from 121.18.
Ptc. F. W. Gibbins "A" Company, is granted 2 months' leave, from 12.2.18. FRIDAY, 8th instant.

At a District Court Martial hold at

Hongkong on 24th January, 1918. No. 572 Pto. R.E. Bulillos was arraigned on the following charge :-

Failing to appear at the place of parade ordered by his Commanding Orders for Cadet Company by 2nd Lieut Officer.

Finding-Guilty.

Sentence-14 days detention, of which

7 days was remitted by H. E. the Covernor. COMMUNICATION DRILL At headquarters on Tuesday, bth February, at 6 p.m. Officers an N.C.Os.

Other Officers and N.O.Os. may. stiend if they so desire. Platoon Drill

will be practised. LECTURE. At Headquarters, Friday, 8th Feb-

rusry, at 6 p.m. Subject, Military Engineering.

gedors for Artillery Company by Captain J. H. W. Armstrong, V.D.

PARADES. SUNDAY, 3rd instant. -Right and Left half Companies! Full

charge practice at Belchers Battery. Parado at 9 n.m. Tuesday, 5th and Thursday, 7th inst .-

Right and Left Half Companies. : All Officers and N.C. Os. Musvetry instruc-tion at H.K.D.C. Headquarters at 5.15 FRIDAY, 8th instant .-7,30 a.m. Right Half Company. Full

parade at Belchers Battery. 5.15 pm. Leif Half Company Full parade at Beichers Battery!

Orders for Engineer Company by Captain W. Russell.

1st to 5th February. E. L. Manning nightly at Belchers and Lycemun. Paradesus per Rosters posted at Headquarters.

Engine drivers at 6 p.m. Electricans at 6.15 p.m. Officers next for duty.-Belchers. 2nd Lieut. Marley. Lycomun, 2nd Lieut. Hill, Stonecutiers, 2nd Lieut, Brown.

RUSKETHY. Men as detailed by the Company Sergt. Major, will fire at King's Park Range on Senday, 3rd February at 9 a.m. Dress Drill order, with sidearms, pouches and 20 rounds ammunition. Detail of duties at Lyeeman from lat to 16th February, is posted at Headquarters.

Orders for Infantry Battalion by Major H. A. Morgan.

PARADES.

" A " Company. MONDAY ... 4th inst :-

Musketry Course, Part 3, Practices 13, 14 of 10,45 s.m. and noon within the free and 16, at King's Park Range. Dress: storage period. drill order with nonches. TUESDAY, 5th inst :- ..

mual Musketry Course, Part 3, Fractices | the 9th February, will be subject to rent. 75. 16, and 17, and 18, at King's Park | All Claims against the Steamer must be Range. Dress : drill order with pouches, pre-anted to the Undersigned on or before Ground. Platuon Srill, dress, drill order. reorgamed. B " Company.

MUNDAY, 4th inst:-\$.15 p.m."No. 8 Platoon, at Kowloon Docks. Platoon drill. Dress, drill order. THURSDAY, 7th inst :-4.30 p.m. o. 7 Platoon, Annual Musketry Course, Part 3, Practices 13, 14, and 19, at King's Park Range. Dress:

drill order with pouches. FRIDAY, 8th instant :-5.15 p.10 Nos. 5 and 6 Platoons, on Cricket Ground. Platoon Drill. Dress:

Drill order MACUINE GUN COMPANY. Dress for all parades clean fatigue and

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WED ESDA . 5th instant !-6.10 p.m. Drill at Headquarters Nos. 3,4 and 5 guls only. THURSDAY, 7th instant:-5.10 p.m. Drill at Headquarters. The

following men only need attend Ptea. Field, Irvine | ogan, McKerns, Pinguet. and Stapleton. FRID VY. 8th instant :-4.20 p.m. A mual Musketry Course.

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TUESDAY, 5th instant :--Work under C.S.M. Blair at Happy Valley. (Dress Clean Fatigue).

WEDNESDAY, 6th instant:-5.15 p.m.—"B" Class Signallers.—In-struction under Sergt. Mitchelmore at

Defence. Corps Headquarters... (Dress Clean Fatigue). Note:—Sergt. Merryfield, R.G.A. will attend all these Signalling Parades.

FRIDAY, 4th instant :-5.15 p.m.—Musketry Instruction.—All signallers who have not passed the Musketry tests (T.E.T.) parade under C. S. M. Blair, Happy Valley. (Drill

STRETCHER BEARER MICTION.

TUESDAY, 5th instant :-5.13 pm - Drill at Headquarters. RECRUITS.

MONDAY, 4th and FRIDAY, 8th inst.:-5.15 p.m.—All units, expect "D" Com-pany, on Murray Parade Ground, under

Sergts, Edmonds and Meade, Dress, Drill order.

"D" Company. MONDAY, 4th instant. Murray Parade Ground. Musketry in-struction. Dress, Drill order with pouches, Sergt. Oxberry and Corpl.

Grimes will attend. 5.15 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Sections, on Murray Parade Ground. Musketry in-

struction. Dress, Dvill pouches, Sorgt, Oxberry and Corpl. Grimes will attend.

CHURCH PARADES. SUNDAY, 3rd instant -

Nos. 1 and 2 Sections fall in at the Star Ferry, Hong'song side, at 10.30 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Section fall in at the Star

of "A" and "B." Companies will attend. Ferry, Kowloon side, at 10.15 a.m. Band to carry instruments. M. NDAY, 4th inst :-5.15 p.m. Nos. I and 2 Sections at Kennedy Koud Range.

5.30 p.m. Bund practice at Head Telephone No. 491. WEDNESDAY, 6th inst :-5.15 Nos. 3 and 4 Sections at Gun

5.30 p.m. Band practice at Head-6.30 p.m. Gymnasium at St. Andrew's Church Hall. G. E. STEWART,

Captain.

Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps.

To day's Advertisements

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT

SOCIETY. THE ANNUAL MEETING will be held at the CITY HALL OR

WEDNESDAY, February 6th, at 12 Mr. T. F. Houch will take the Chair: K. McKENNY. Hon. Secretary.

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CALENDAR

MEMO. FOR TO-DAY. 9.15 p.m.—Concert at Theatre Royal -by A. Mirovitch and M. Piastho. 9.15 p.m.-Horace Goldin & Co. at Victoria Theatre.

GENERAL MEMORANDA.

IONDAY, Feb. 4:--12 noon. - Prize giving Kadoorie School. TERDAY, Feb. 6:-

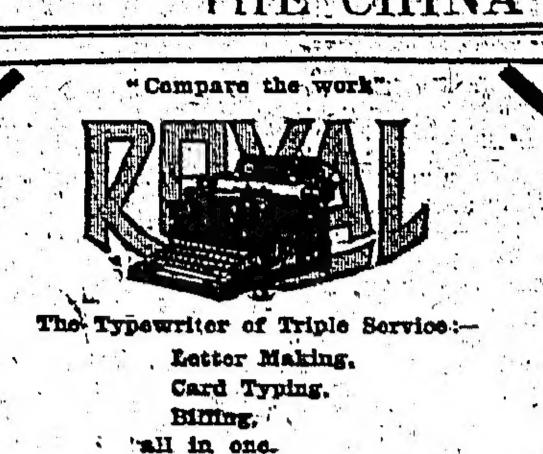
11.30 s.m.-Union Waterboat Co. Annual Meeting of Shareholders. 2.30 p.m. - Auntion of Teakwood and Blackwood Furniture &c. at Messrs. Hughes & Hough's

WEDNESDAY, Ecb. 4: Prize giring at Queen's College.

THURSDAY, Feb 7 9.15 p.m. Concert at Theatre Royal By A. Miroritch and M. Piastro. SATURDAY, Feb. 2 :-

11 a.m.-Kowloon Land & Building Co. annual meeting. 11.30 a.m. Humphreys Estato Finance Co. Annual Meeting. MONDAY, Rob. 112-

Chinese New Year MONOAY, Feb. 25 :--Hongkong Jocker Club-Races. TURBOAT, Feb. 26:-Second day of Baces. Water addy, Feb. 27: Third day of Baces



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Holy Communion (7.50 a.m.)

Matins (11 a.m.)
Responses, Ferial; Venite, Russell;
Psalms, Kelway, Kelway; To Deum, Oakeley, in F; Jubilate, Heatherte (10th evening); Hymns, 172, 290. God Save the King. Holy Communion (1º noon).

Evensong (8 p.m.)
Responses. Ferial; Psalms, Crotch, Hervey; Magnificat, Goss, (10th evening); Nunc Dimittis, Felton; Hymns, 193, 282, 186:

Union Church, Kennedy Road. Sunday Services, Feb. 3rd. Morning Bervice, at 11 a.m. —Psalm, 121;

Hymns, 544, 14, 153, 255. Subject : The Guest at Midnight. Preacher : Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie. Evening Prayer, at 6 p.m.-Hymns, Subject: Life's Higher Values, and how to obtain Them. Prescher: Rev. A. E. Claxton, of Han-

Collections for British and Foreign Bible Society. St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon' Holy Communion at 8 s.m. and at

Morning Service. Morning Prayer at 11 s.m. Responses, Ferial; Venite, Wickes, Chant No. 25 ; Psalms, XV Kelway XVI Felton, Chant No. 102, W.A. XVII Tomlinson; Te Deum, Oakley in F; Jubilate, Alcock, Chang No. 144; Kyrie, Thorne; Hymns, 1, 45 & 136. God Save the King.

Evening Prayer at 6 p.m. Besponses, Perial; Pasims, XVIII Verses 1 to 30 Turle, Chant 104 W.A.; Verses 31 to 51 Elvey, Chant 105 W.A.; Magnificat, Havergal (7th evening); Nunc. Dimittis, Monk; Hymns, 39, 138, 249 (Part. 3) & .. (last yerse in unison). Vesper Hymn. God Save the King.

St. Peter's Church, West Point. Sunday Services, Feb. 3rd. a m. Holy Communion. 11 a.m.-Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher: Rev. W. T. Featherstone.

The Gospel Hall. 10 & 12 PEDDER STREET. Weekly Services - Sunday : Breaking "Bread for Believers only, 11 a.m. Gospel Meeting, & p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, Bible study Friday, Ladies' Bible study, 5.30 p.m.

That Church of Christ Molentist. MACDONNELL HOAD. Sundays; II a.m. " Vednosdays, 5.30 p.m.

Saturday, Prayer Meeting, 6 p.m.

Wesleyan Methodist Church. Wanchai. Sunday Morning Service, 10.15 a.m. Sunday Evening Service, 1215 p.m.

Soldiers' and Sallors' Home, Arsenal Street, Sunday Evening, Gospel Meeting, 8 p.m.

St. Joseph's Church Garden Road Mass and Sermon at 10 a.m. followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Encrament

Roman Cotholic Cathedral Glenealy. Mass at 3, 7 and 8.30 a.m. ligh Mass at 8 a.m. 6.30 p.m - Benediction of the Blassed POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The Parcel Post Services to British East Airies and Egypt (except for members of the Expeditionary Forces) and to Abyssinis, Bagdad, Erithres, French Somali Coast MItalian Somaliland Portuguese East Africa, Zanzibar and Russia have been suspended.

LOCAL AND REGULAR MAILS OUTWARD. SUPPLYS & WEEK-DAYS HOLIDAYS ... 5.00 P.M. 9.30 A.M. ...10.00 A.M.

Cheang Chow ... 7.30 A.M. & 3 P.M. Shatankok, Shatin and Shoungshui ... 4.00 P.M. Aberdeen, Autau,

Santin, Stanley .. 4.30 P.M.

Ping Shan,

Sai Kung,

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Regis. 5 F.M.
Letters 6 P.M. 9.60 A.M. ∫7.15 A. X. 1.30 P.M. 6.00 P.M. 5.00 P.M. Except Kengmoon Saturdays Namtau and Sanmer 5.00 P.M. 5.00 P.M.

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Fresh to moderate monscon will continue over the Formosa Channel and the N. China Sea. Hongkong Bainfall for the 24 hours "S ending at 10 s.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total

5.00 F.M. since January 1st, 0.01 inch, against an average of 1.58 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 3nd February :-1.-Hongkong to Gap Rock: E. winds, fresh to moderate; fair.

> 2.-Formosa Channel: N. winds, moderate. 3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as No. 1.

4.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan: The same as

ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONGRONG, DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

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